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Expert says grad school can be free

By Scott Abbott
Staff Writer

Graduate school can be free for underrepresented students pursuing engineering and science degrees, an expert on graduate education told Cal Poly students Thursday.

Linda Wells, associate director of student programs for the national Consortium for Graduate Degrees for Minorities in Engineering Inc. (GEM), addressed an audience of approximately 40 people in the Science building and encouraged minorities to seek graduate degrees.

GEM originated from the University of Notre Dame, and its goal is to increase the number of African-American, Mexican-American, American Indian and Puerto Rican students receiving advanced degrees in engineering and science.

"I have one message for you, and the message is 'Graduate school is free,'" Wells said. "You will get paid to go if you know how to ask."

Wells said the decline of graduate school applicants is a national problem, especially among underrepresented groups.

By the year 2000, Wells said, 53 percent of current university faculty in engineering and science will be retiring, and there will not be enough professors to fill the gap. This will lead to a shortfall of 56,000 jobs in the field, Wells said.

According to GEM statistics, in 1986 78,000 students received bachelor's degrees. In 1989, 68,000 received degrees. Also, of 9,700 engineering and science Ph.D.s earned in 1989, fewer than 400 were obtained by underrepresented groups.

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PAT MCKEAN/Mustang Daily
A contestant in the sand sculpture contest at the 44th Annual Pismo Beach Clam Festival perfects his masterpiece.

Pismo celebrates 44th clam festival

By Erika Dills
Staff Writer

Volleyball tournaments, sand sculpture contests and the clam chowder cook-off were only a few of the many events happening on the sun-kissed

beaches of Pismo this last weekend at the 44th Annual Clam Festival.

However, perhaps the biggest event of this year's festival was going on quietly under bare-footed feet in the sandy

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Auxiliary activities fail to self-support

ASI considers reclassification of U.U. services

By Kathy Kenney
Staff Writer

The University Union copy center, games area and bowling alley will be reviewed by the ASI Board of Directors this year because the services have failed to be self-supporting.

ASI funds last year subsidized the Second Edition Copy Center for \$15,000 and the games area and bowling alley for \$76,000, said John Stipicevich, ASI assistant director of operations.

The review is a recommendation included in the 1990 University Union audit. Brad Hair, an accountant for the Glenn, Burdette, Phillips and Bryson firm, told the ASI Board the ac-

tivities should be reclassified as programs if they cannot be self-supported by user fees.

ASI programs already supported by money from student fees include the crafts center and ASI Outings, Stipicevich said. The services that will be reviewed, however, are called auxiliary activities.

"An auxiliary activity is defined as something that at least breaks even or makes money," the director said.

Both Hair and Stipicevich said the solution to the problem of a negative balance in the auxiliary fund could be as simple as changing the activities definitions and making them programs.

Stipicevich said, however, that he does not want that to happen.

"The title of auxiliary fund forces you to work hard ... on breaking even," he said. While it is easy to make these services

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Ag wins thousands

Grants used for faculty research, summer projects

By Michele Morris
Staff Writer

Nine faculty and staff members from the School of Agriculture received more than \$666,000 in grants from various private sources and government agencies to support their applied research and program development efforts over the summer.

Agricultural engineering professor Charles Burt and John Parrish from the Irrigation Training and Research Center received a \$50,150 grant from the California Department of Water Resources for the irrigation project.

Burt and Parrish are working on creating short courses on the use of AGWATER, a computer software program for the managing irrigation systems. They also present courses on other software programs related to irrigation system management.

James Berman and Paul Dilger, both of the agricultural engineering department, received \$70,000 from the Zenith Insurance Co. for their work training Zenith employees.

"Zenith is concerned with ex-

panding the knowledge of their employees," said Berman. One workshop took place in July, and two are planned for November and December.

Berman said Zenith employees came to Cal Poly to observe use of agricultural machinery then try out the school's equipment for themselves.

Joseph Sabol, associate dean of student affairs for agriculture, Larry Rathbun, associate dean of agriculture for administration, and Robert Flores, chief of party, Costa Rica Project, received \$346,470 from the U.S. Agency for International Development/College of Agriculture of the Humid Tropics Region, for their work in Costa Rica.

There is a new college of agriculture near San Jose, Costa Rica, that is a learn-by-doing program for residents, Rathbun said. He said the purpose is to "balance agricultural and environmental interests." Flores is now in Costa Rica working on programs for the school.

The last grant was for \$200,000, given to Nana Farkye, Dairy Products Technology Center, and Phillip Tong, director of the Dairy Products Technology Center, by the California Milk Advisory Board/California Dairy Research Foundation. The grant provides ongoing funding for the Cal Poly

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Sketch kit aids campus police

By Alex Main
Staff Writer

Beginning today Cal Poly Public Safety will be able to construct sketches of criminal suspects as well as any law enforcement agency in the county. They've acquired a system called Ident-a-Kit.

Ident-a-Kit is a nationally-accepted identification system that enables investigative teams to standardize descriptions of

suspects from one agency to the next. Crime victims no longer rely on the accuracy of a sketch artist. They now can leaf through a wide variety of human features to construct a picture of their assailant.

The kit, made by Smith and Wesson, includes a complex system of transparencies of physical features to match any a person might have. It includes such characteristics as hair color, style and length, to various bone

structures and facial scars. The transparencies are placed on top of each other to construct a complete face.

Each transparency is coded. This enables an Ident-a-Kit user to relay numeric and alphabetic codes and eliminate the hassle of distributing detailed suspect descriptions to all the different agencies.

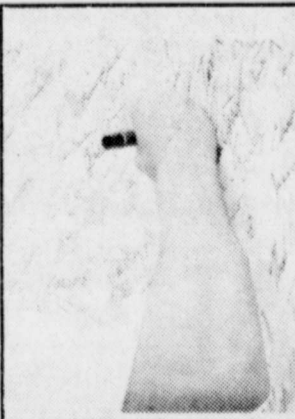
Investigator Mike Kennedy is the only member of Public Safety

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Opinion:

Guest columnist Jon Morris describes how he believes a bill making its way through Congress potentially could cause a "Red Scare" at universities.

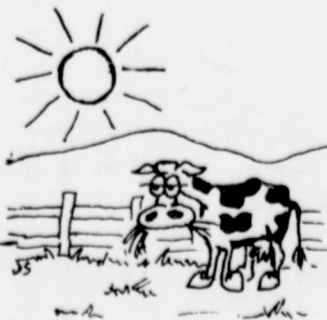
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Cry of freedom ...

Photographer Lisa Morrison snapped students adding their names to Amnesty International's wall.

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Today's weather ...

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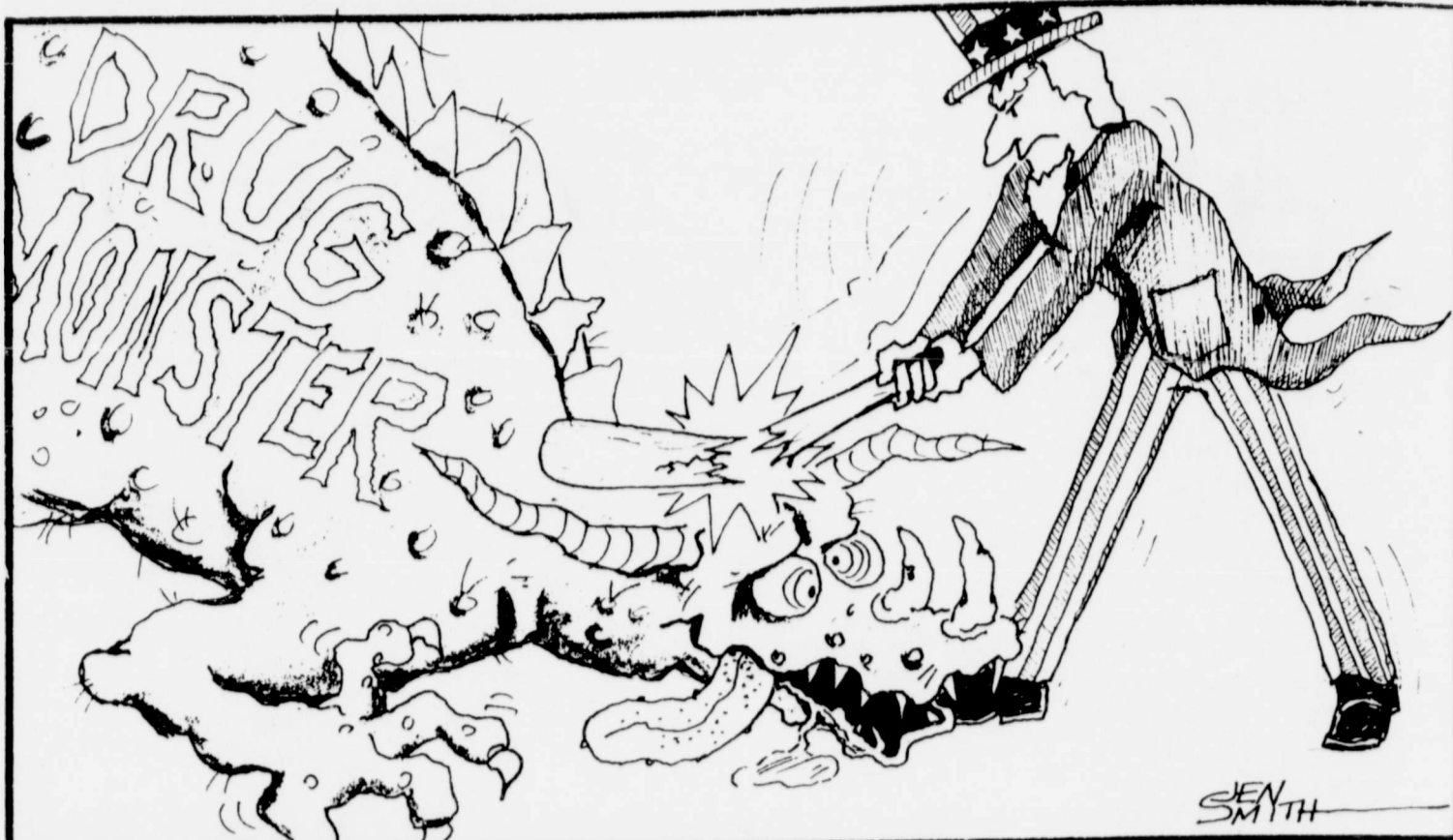
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Congressional bill could create a 'Red Scare' in our society

By Jon Morris

The Central Coast is now participating in "Red Ribbon Week" as a show of solidarity against drug abuse. This activity is but one example of our nation's continued concern toward substance abuse. Yet, sometime during our effort to increase our awareness of drugs, our concern has metamorphosed into fear and panic.

A black and white form of our fear of drugs is titled "The National Emergency Drug and Crime Act," or HR 4079. If this bill becomes law, its provisions will create more strife in our society than three-fold the magnitude of our current "drug problem."

Specifically, the bill calls for involuntary random drug testing for college faculty and students. It also mandates drug testing of anyone employed in the transportation industries, and it even contains provisions for drug testing school children.

If this were not enough, this bill would suspend critical portions of the fourth and eighth amendments as well as confiscate property of the accused.

There exists too strong a parallel between the objectives of HR 4079 and the "Red Scare" that scourged our society in the '50s. Then, in an effort to quell the perceived ill of communism, the lives of many innocent people were destroyed.

Under this legislation, the federal government would publish a "black list" of judges who hand down sentences that aren't "harsh" enough. How

many careers would be lost due to false positive test results?

Even if the second test proved negative, the boss and other acquaintances of the accused, would still have that seed of suspicion in their minds.

The "bounty hunter" clause, which stipulates that a person who advises the authorities of a suspected drug violator would receive up to half of the suspect's confiscated property as reward, would have kith and kin spying on each other.

At least one aspect of this bill already has been adopted by the campus in anticipation of it becoming law. The House resolution declares that an affected institution must advise the faculty, students and employees of its drug and alcohol policy 90 days before the remaining provisions of the bill take effect. Didn't we all receive our Cal Poly policy on controlled substances in the mail a short while ago?

As with communism, drug abuse would not (as I believe) enhance our society. However, with this pending legislation, the cure is worse than the disease.

The time has come for us to think rationally and to put the ills of substance abuse in perspective with the ills of a police state.

We must advise Representatives Panetta and Thomas and Senator Wilson (a co-sponsor of the Senate version of HR 4079) that "The National Emergency Drug and Crime Act" is just plain bad legislation.

Jon Morris is an electronic engineering student.

Letters to the Editor

Poly must print evaluation forms

I totally agree with *Mustang Daily's* editorial (Oct. 19) that urges printing a catalog of teacher evaluations.

While at Chico State, I found such a guide invaluable. Face it, students already share an informal network of recommending instructors.

James Murphy's assertion that students are too biased and disgruntled over bad grades is a condescending insult to me as a student and taxpayer. Why doesn't this chairman of the Academic Senate go ahead and remove instructors' names from the class schedule, so CAPTURE can become the crap-shoot it already is?

The reality is that after spending a quarter or more in close contact with a professor, students are in a perfect position to give constructive criticism regardless of their expected grade.

Will it cost too much? Hardly! I had to wait in line with other Chico students eager to buy this guide.

It's time to allow us an informed choice among educators. Or are they afraid of a little competition?

Hugh Vosti
Ornamental Horticulture

Local mayor sets a bad example

Thank you for printing the commentary on Mayor Hobbs of Santa Maria (Oct. 17).

It saddens me to see such outspoken racism from a man who is supposed to use his office to advocate equality and respect in the community.

Hobbs reminds me of Hitler when he declared he had "a Jewish problem." The horror that followed still haunts us today.

Are we going to allow the mayor of Santa Maria to do the same thing when he declares that "Santa Maria has a Mexican problem?"

The mayor's suggestions of having colonies on the other side of the border are reminiscent of South African townships like Soweto. Up until now Mr. Hobbs has not had the decency to apologize for his slanderous comments toward the Mexican community.

Mayor Hobbs should be educated enough to understand that we are no longer a "melting pot," but instead are a "cultural mosaic." This is what makes America such a beautiful place to live in.

We Mexicans are proud of this country, but we are also proud of our beautiful culture. Hobbs is not going to take that away from us.

I invite all people who stand for the belief that persons should be judged on the quality of their character rather than the color of their skin to join M.E.C.H.A. Wednesday at 7 p.m. in room 206 of the Science North building.

Mardonio Reyna
Business

1991 Rose float design noticed

The Rose Parade Float Club is to be congratulated once again for having created a provocative image to publicize the university before 800 million viewers on New Year's Day (see *Mustang Daily's* Oct. 18 article).

Although the thought and effort required to create "Tickle Attack" must have been enormous, surely everyone will consider it all worthwhile when they understand the significance of Cal Poly being associated in the popular mind with an ape, a bear and three monkeys.

I am confident ASI thinks its \$14,000 well-spent.

James Simmons
English

Letter makes reader disgusted

I am writing to express my disgust with both the letter written by J.T. Wingett on Oct. 19 and with *Mustang Daily* for printing the trash.

For those of you who had the fortune to miss J.T.'s letter, he made a parody of Jan Perez's commentary on Oct. 11, comparing Jan's coming out as a lesbian to his own fascination with bestiality.

It amazes me that the newspaper of one of the supposedly highest rated universities in the country would print such a degrading, blatant attack by one student on another.

J.T., you have the right to disagree with the lifestyle of

another person, but you do not have the right to ridicule someone as courageous as Jan.

It is frightening to think that people can graduate from Cal Poly with an education limited to academics.

I hope that others feel the urge to help J.T. wake up! You know where he will be sleeping. By the way J.T., how did a pig like you sneak into the sheep unit anyway?

Coulter Rose
Environmental Biology

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World

Jewish leader objects to neo-Nazi activities

BERLIN (AP) — The leader of Germany's Jewish community issued a strong protest Monday of a weekend march by several hundred neo-Nazis.

Heinz Galinski, chairman of the Central Council of Jews in Germany, said the march "overstepped ... the patience of democratic forces."

Several hundred neo-Nazis paraded through the southeastern city of Dresden on Saturday to protest the presence of Communists and foreigners in Germany.

Galinski urged German political leaders to reflect on their responsibilities.

Gerhart Baum, a former West German interior minister, warned that extra caution is needed in the area that used to be East Germany to prevent the growth of neo-Nazi movements.

"The police must intervene if there is any glorification of National Socialism (Nazis)," Baum said in an interview with the Dresdner Morgenpost newspaper.

Letter from detainees received by embassy

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — A Western embassy on Monday received a letter from Americans and other foreigners complaining about their detention at strategic sites in Iraq, diplomats said.

A photocopy of the handwritten letter, See WORLD, page 5

Nation

Anti-pollution bill to give relief to miners

WASHINGTON (AP) — Clean-air legislation expected to pass Congress this week would set an important precedent for Northwest timber towns facing economic hard times, Rep. Al Swift said Monday.

Congressional negotiators tentatively agreed Monday to the sweeping anti-pollution bill, including a provision that would provide economic relief for coal miners and others who lose their jobs as a result of the new environmental mandates.

"The amendment was designed to provide economic assistance for coal miners affected by the acid rain sections of the bill. It really was a Midwest- and West Virginia-fix, but it turns out to have implications for the Northwest," said Swift, D-Wash.

Swift, a member of the House-Senate conference committee working on the bill, said the aid to coal miners will make it easier to secure similar relief next year for loggers and mill workers facing joblessness due to protection of old-growth forests.

Logging is expected to be banned on millions of acres of Northwest forests in order to protect the habitat of the northern spotted owl, which was declared a threatened species earlier this year.

Study finds cocaine prompts AIDS growth

ATLANTA (AP) — Cocaine speeded the growth of the AIDS virus in laboratory tests, See NATION, page 6

State

Whale found beached near Candlestick Park

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A humpback whale was found beached on mud flats south of Candlestick Park on Monday, snarling traffic as commuters on a bayside freeway slowed to watch the stranded creature, authorities said.

Marine biologists were trying to learn why the whale was stuck in three feet of water near the edge of San Francisco Bay about half a mile south of the stadium. The whale may have been the same one seen swimming in the bay south of Candlestick on Sunday.

The whale was spotted about 150 feet from U.S. Highway 101 by the California Highway Patrol when it became light. The agency then notified the Coast Guard and California Marine Mammal Center.

It was also spotted by thousands of commuters.

"It's quite visible from the highway. It's causing a bit of a slowdown," said Coast Guard Petty Officer Brian Bender.

Motorists driving north, next to the bay, slowed or even stopped, causing traffic to back up more than three miles, a California Highway Patrol dispatcher said.

The animal's condition was not immediately known.

Commissioner favors 'Santa Clara Giants'

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) — Saying "Santa Clara Giants" has a nice ring to it, Baseball Commissioner Peter Ueberroth said Monday. See STATE, page 5



HUMOR

Breakup advice: 'Never let 'em see you sweat'

By Dik Saalfeld

There's nothing worse than having to deal with some dewey-eyed sap who's just been dumped. I'm talking about the big split, getting the boot, breaking up. The old heave-ho.

Some of the most well-adjusted people turn into blubbery idiots when they get canned by their lovers. Come on, don't give me that "Oh Dik, what a heartless lost soul you are" malarkey. You know I'm right. If you choose to get involved in adult relationships like love affairs and tawdry one-night stands, you should take your licks like an adult, too. Preserve your dignity, be aloof, don't whine. And for Pete's sake, don't let your "ex" see what a spineless clod you really are.

My friend Donna is a demographic statistician, and two days before her wedding, when hubby-to-be started to See HUMOR, page 6

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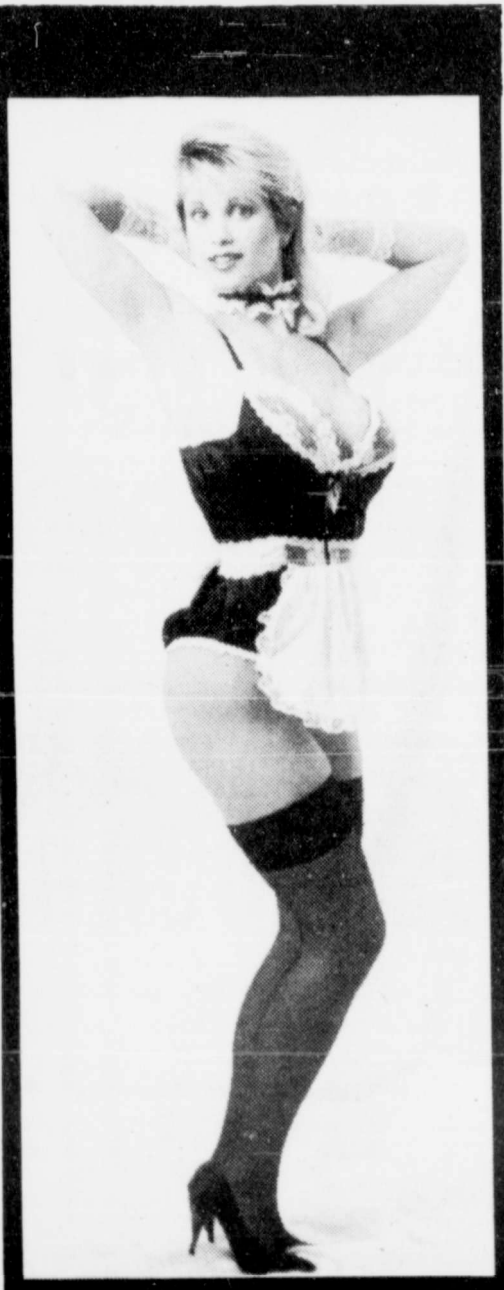
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Volleyball, walk benefit charity

Sierra Vista Regional Medical Center and US98 Radio will sponsor a volleyball tournament and walk-a-thon with the net proceeds benefiting the American Heart Association. The first annual "Volleywalk for Heart" will take place Saturday, Oct. 27. The volleyball tournament will feature men's, women's, co-ed and fraternity/sorority divisions. Team check-in's begin at 8 a.m. on Saturday. Prizes will be awarded to first, second and third places in each division. Entry fees are \$12.50 per person or \$50.00 per team. Each registered participant will receive an event T-shirt. For information and registration forms contact Kitty Wilde at 756-7630.

Writing contest winners honored

The winners of the 1990 SLO Nightwriters writing contest will be honored at a reception at 2 p.m. on Nov. 10 at the Earthling Book Store in San Luis Obispo. Finalists among published authors are Barbara Ristine Howard and Lynette Warren of Arroyo Grande, and Dorothy Reu and Paula Thomas of Santa Maria. Non-published finalists are Daniel Eggert, Suzanne Champeau, Joseph Hubbell and David Richards. The reception is open to the public.

Hospice support group to meet

Full Circle, a Hospice support group for college-age people, meets Monday nights from 7 to 9 p.m. The group meets at the University Christian Center, located behind the Health Center. The Full Circle support group is for students dealing with the issues of death, dying and bereavement. For more information call Christine Hunt at 756-5610 or contact Hospice at 544-2266.

New AIDS group meets in SLO

A support group for families and friends of individuals that have AIDS will have a new support group beginning Wednes-

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day, Nov. 7 from 7 to 9 p.m. The group will meet at the Hospice offices at 1432 Higuera St. in San Luis Obispo. The support group provides information, supportive listening and shared experiences for anyone who is close to someone who has AIDS. For more information call Hospice at 544-2266.

Transfer Day to aid CC students

Interested community residents are encouraged to participate in Transfer Day being held today. Representatives from 25 different colleges and universities will be available to answer questions about their schools. The event is from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in front of the Cuesta cafeteria. An application workshop for individuals interested in transferring to any campus of the University of California system will be conducted at 1:30 p.m. in Room 2402 of the Science forum. For additional information contact Sid Bennett at the Cuesta College Transfer Center at 546-3162.

Dinner, travel fair held Nov. 2

The ninth annual Cuesta College Travel Fair and Potluck Dinner will be held on campus Friday, Nov. 2. A 30-minute film, "Forty Leagues from Paradise," a story of Sri Lanka, fabled island of Sinbad and Solomon, will be shown. The dinner begins at 6:30 p.m. in the college cafeteria. The Travel Fair and Potluck is open to the public. A reservation phone call would be appreciated. For information on what to bring for the potluck call 546-3128.

Travel film aired in Atascadero

An enchanted tour to Sweden is the next planned stop on Cuesta College's 1990-91 Travel Theater itinerary. "Swedish Holiday" is scheduled to be shown on Wednesday, Nov. 7 at the Century Cinemas in Atascadero. Show times are 10:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. Additional screenings are scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 8 with a 10:30 a.m. show at the Fair Oaks Theater in Arroyo Grande. There will

be an afternoon show at the Cuesta College auditorium beginning at 2:30 p.m. "Swedish Holiday" takes viewers from the west coast fishing villages, the summer residence of the king at Sofiero Castle, across the Arctic Circle, and to the world's largest folk dancing competition where 1,200 couples endure 16 hours of dancing. Tickets for the event are \$5 for general admission. For more information, contact the Community Education and Services office at 546-3131.

Cuesta offers unique classes

Cuesta College is offering three short courses beginning in late October. They include such subjects as antiques, chocolate decadence and how to avoid becoming a baglady. Two of the courses are at Cuesta College, while one is at Paso Robles High School. The antiques course will be held Mondays beginning Oct. 23 from 7 to 10 p.m. in the old campus building room 1514 at Cuesta College. The class will cost \$29.50. Chocolate Decadence will be offered Tuesdays beginning on Oct. 30 from 7 to 10 p.m. in Room 501 at Paso Robles High School. The class will cost \$49.50. How to Avoid the Baglady Syndrome will be held Saturday, Nov. 3 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Room BE4113 at Cuesta College. The course will cost \$18.50.

Duo featured in Cuesta concert

Soprano Mary Rawcliffe, harpist Jennifer Sayre and percussionist Ross Sears will share the stage at the Cuesta College Humanities Forum on Friday, Nov. 9. The 8 p.m. performance will feature a program of music that spans 500 years. Tickets for the "Portraits in Music" concert are \$7. Season tickets are available for \$25. For more information contact the Community Education and Services office at 546-3131.

Bargain books on sale Nov. 7-8

A collection of novels, biographies, fiction, non-fiction, paperbacks and textbooks will be on sale at the Cuesta College library patio area Wednesday. See COMMUNITY, page 9

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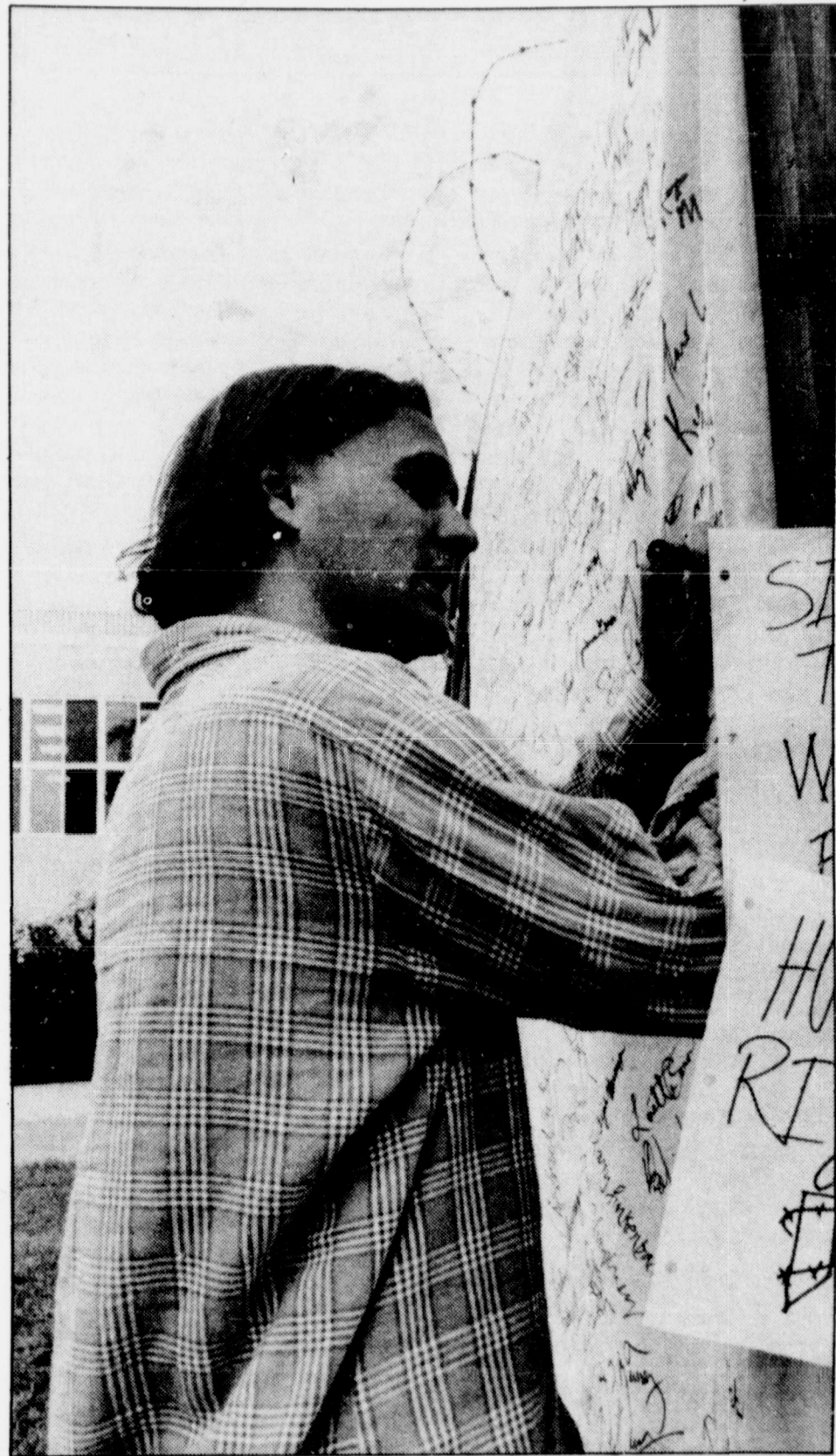
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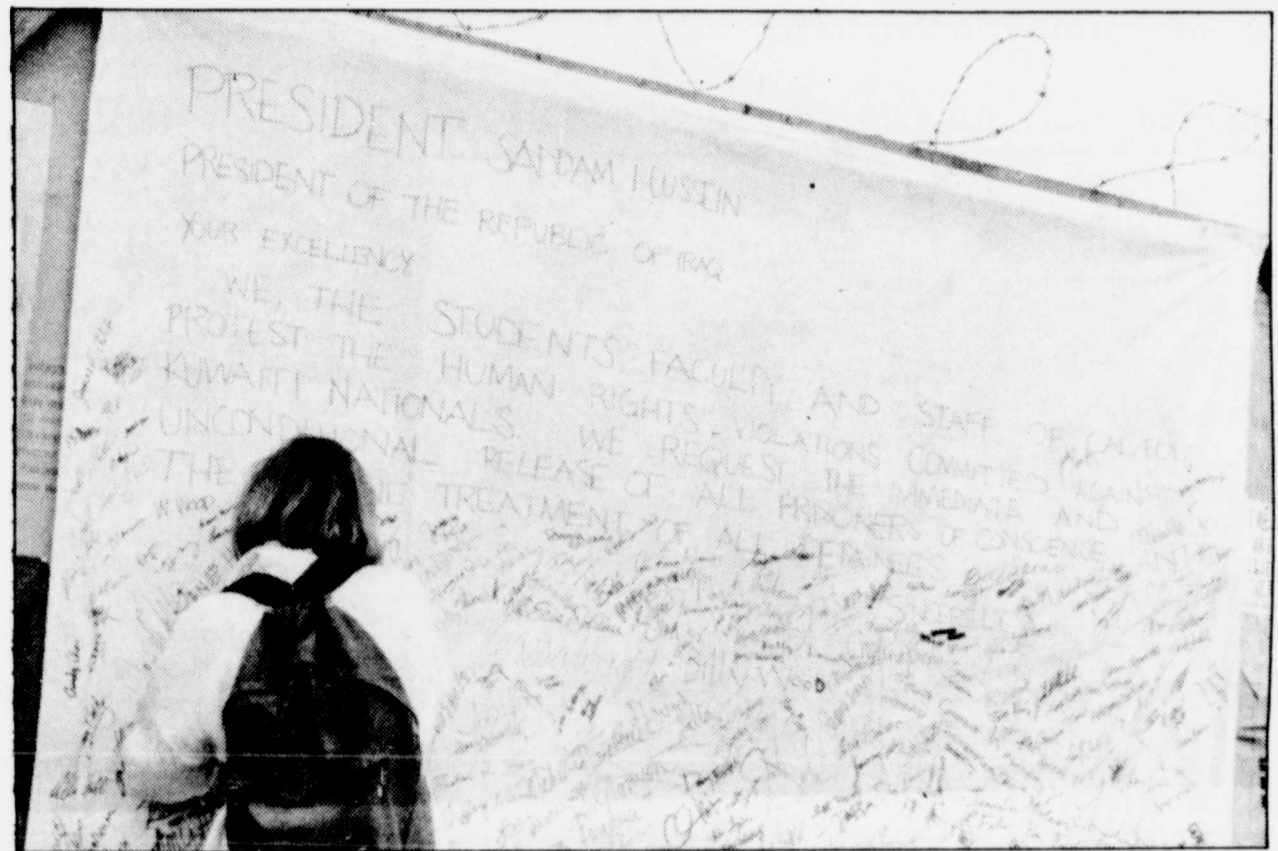
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City and regional planning junior Paul Meuser adds his signature to one of Amnesty International's wall-sized messages protesting human rights violations by Iraq and El Salvador.

Amnesty International

Cal Poly's chapter of the human rights organization Amnesty International put up wall-sized messages to Saddam Hussein and the president of El Salvador on Dexter Lawn last week urging them to stop human rights violations by their countries. Here an unidentified student adds her signature to the message to Hussein.

LISA MORRISON/Mustang Daily



WORLD

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minus the signatures, was distributed to reporters. It referred to foreigners detained inside a gas storage terminal by Iraqi officials. They are among those being held by Iraq to try to deter attack following its invasion Aug. 2 of Kuwait.

The letter said:

"The camp inside the LPG (liquefied petroleum gas) storage terminal compound is in an extremely dangerous location and in the event of fire or explosion resulting from any reason whatsoever, it would be impossible for camp occupants to survive.

"Disregarding our strong protests, the persons named herein have been forced to move into this camp.

"This is contrary to international law, the Helsinki Accord on Human Rights and the promises of his excellency the president, Mr. Saddam Hussein, who has stated that the guests would be housed alongside of Iraqi residents and share the same risks as Iraqi citizens.

"We, the undersigned, continue to protest this immoral and illegal act and herewith demand that we be permitted to contact our respective embassies and inform embassy personnel of this inhuman action being taken by representatives of the Ministry of Petroleum."

Western diplomats, speaking on condition they were not identified further, said they believed the signatories were Americans and other foreigners.

The diplomats declined to say how many signatures were on the letter.

There was no immediate clue to the location of the plant mentioned in the letter.

Israeli soldiers block Jerusalem

JERUSALEM (AP) — Israeli forces blocked Palestinians from entering Jerusalem on Monday to prevent clashes following the murders of three Jews by a knife-wielding Arab.

A Palestinian teen-ager was killed and 19 others were hospitalized with wounds suffered in clashes with Israeli troops Monday throughout the occupied West Bank, Arab reports said.

Despite the heightened security in Jerusalem, a Palestinian stabbed a Jew, slightly injuring him. Police searched a nearby village for the assailant.

Also Monday, an 18-year-old Palestinian died of wounds suffered in an August 1988 clash. Mohammed Naim Abu Akar was known among Palestinians as "the living martyr" for surviving on intravenous feedings after Israeli bullets destroyed his intestines.

Jews angered by Sunday's killings stoned Arab cars and beat several Arab pedestrians, Israel radio said. It blamed members of the anti-Arab Kach Party, saying they were bent on inciting trouble.

After the violence, national police headquarters announced that the ban on Palestinians entering Jerusalem would continue for at least a second day Tuesday "in view of the present tension in the city."

The blockade does not affect the 140,000 Palestinians living in Jerusalem, but does apply to the

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STATE

From page 3

Commissioner Fay Vincent on Monday lent his support to moving San Francisco's ball team south to the Silicon Valley.

"It has a certain cadence," Vincent said of the name that makes skin crawl in San Francisco. "If you get the vote, it will be a big-league name. I guarantee it."

Vincent announced his support for the move in San Jose, calling the Giants a "ready-made franchise" for Santa Clara. He said it was the best option in a "dire" situation created by voters in San Francisco, where the Giants have played for 33 years.

Last fall, San Francisco voters narrowly defeated a measure to build the team a new park in the city.

Next month, voters in Santa Clara County will decide whether to build a new \$153 million stadium in the city of Santa Clara. A "yes" vote on three separate ballot measure in the county and various cities would guarantee that the Giants move from Candlestick Park to a new stadium about 40 miles south.

Team owner Bob Lurie wants out of Candlestick, an aging ballpark where foggy gusts of wind chill fans and swirl garbage around the stands. Lurie has cited surveys showing that fans don't support the team enough because they don't like Candlestick.

Vincent said he hates to see teams move but the Santa Clara proposal was the only decent option. The alternatives are keeping the team at its "outdated" ballpark or moving out of the San Francisco Bay area, Vincent said.

"I don't think there are many

communities in the United States who get a chance at a team and turn it down. San Francisco seems to be the exception," Vincent said.

Last October's earthquake, he said, took attention away from a ballot measure that would have funded a new stadium in San Francisco's China Basin area, and the measure failed. Lurie said before the election he would move the team if voters rejected a downtown ballpark.

The Santa Clara stadium would be financed by a 1 percent utility tax assessed against businesses and homeowners in ten Santa Clara County cities, including San Jose, Santa Clara and Sunnyvale.

Surrogate loses custody of child

SANTA ANA, Calif. (AP) — Genetic parents who paid a surrogate mother to bear their child should raise the boy despite the surrogate's claim that she wants the child after all, a judge ruled today.

Mark Calvert gently kissed his wife, Crispina, as Orange County Superior Court Judge Richard Parslow rejected 29-year-old surrogate mother Anna Johnson's claim seeking partial custody of the baby boy.

"I believe he should be raised exclusively by the Calverts," Parslow said. The baby, whom the Calverts call Christopher, is now 4 weeks old.

The judge said that a "three-parent, two-natural-mom situation" would be confusing to the

child and "invites emotional and financial extortion."

The Calverts, of Tustin, had agreed to pay Johnson \$10,000 to bear their child, which was conceived through in vitro fertilization using sperm and egg donated by the Calverts. Mrs. Calvert could not carry the baby because she had received a hysterectomy.

Both sides have said the decision would likely be appealed.

The Calverts insisted that they should be recognized as the sole parents. Parslow earlier granted the Calverts temporary custody of the baby. Attorneys for both sides said the Calvert-Johnson dispute could break new legal ground because a genetically unrelated surrogate never has sought custody.

The famous Baby M case in New Jersey involved a surrogate mother who was also the baby's genetic mother.

In the six-day hearing, Ms. Johnson's attorneys tried to show she and the baby had developed an unexpected but deep emotional attachment during the pregnancy that must not be severed.

Ms. Johnson claimed that the Calverts neglected her during the pregnancy and were late making payments.

The Calverts offered evidence about the importance of the genetic link. They also attempted to cast doubt on Ms. Johnson's motives, claiming she was motivated by a thirst for publicity and money, not love of the child.

Ms. Johnson, a single mother of a 3-year-old girl, and Mrs. Calvert, 36, met while both working as nurses at a Santa Ana hospital.

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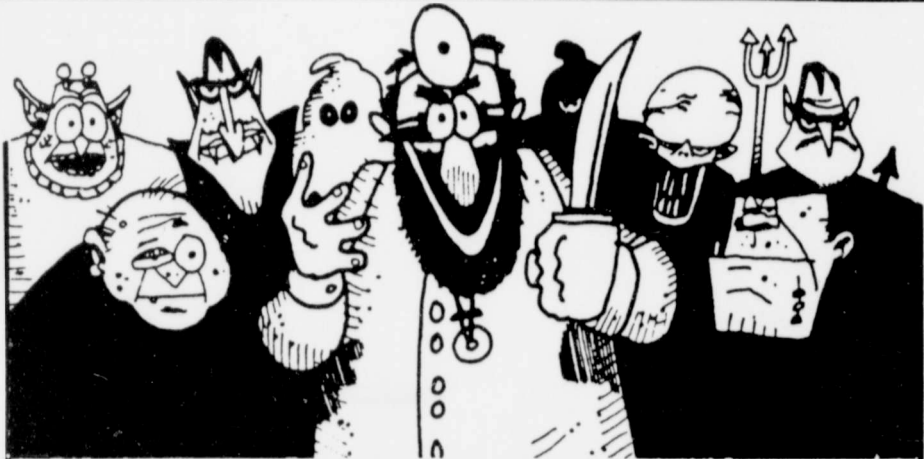
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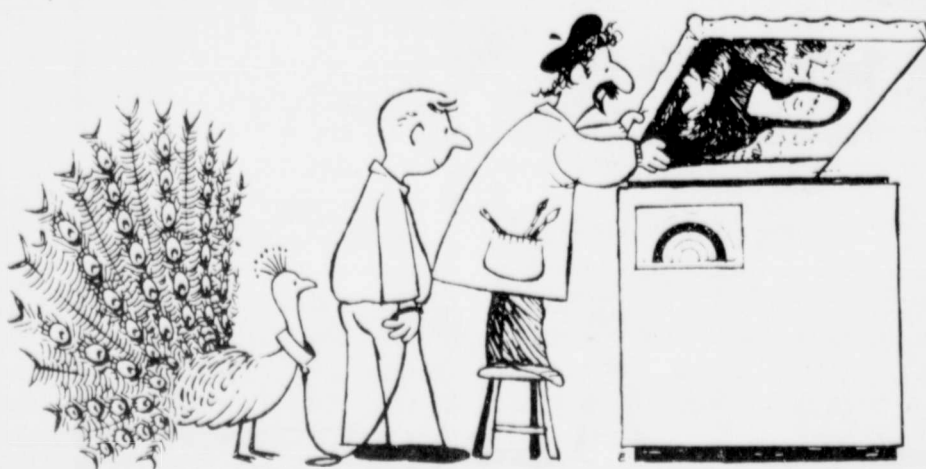
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HUMOR

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get cold feet, she turned to him and said "Don't worry about me, rest comfortably in the knowledge that when you dump me there will be 103.6 million eligible men on this continent alone ready to take up the slack." See what I mean? Take your defeat in stride and show some style.

So why does Uncle Dik think he's such an expert in the field? Well, I've been canned by some of the best heartbreakers you could ever hope to meet. These women have raised breaking up to an artform, and I'm just proud to have been part of it. Take Wanda Simmons, for instance. Wanda was my first love and the apple of my eye. The apple had worms. She started to see less and less of me, claiming that her renewed interest in the church was taking up more of her time. Turns out she was running around with the preacher's son. When I confronted her, she said "It's God's will." Talk about passing the buck. I told her I didn't think there was room for all three of them in the back seat of her old man's Buick, so she had best leave God out of it.

And who could forget old Cindy McCarthy? Cindy and I had a steamy thing going for a while, but she finally got tired of my pathological inability to say the word "commitment" within a twenty-foot radius of her, so she gave me the pink slip. She was a class act, though, and as she closed her closet door and handed me the last bundle of my things, she said "Here's your life, don't spend it all in one place." I still shake my head and smile at

that one all these years later.

I'm talking about class, in case you haven't caught on. Keep your dignity, don't grovel. Even if you thought that this relationship was going to "go all the way," it's not immune to the kinds of problems that have ended jillions of relationships since the beginning of time. For instance, about six million years ago in far-off England, Henry VIII thought that each of his wives was the greatest thing since sliced bread, which, funnily enough, hadn't been invented yet. Old Henry got over each of his failed romances, though, despite the aura of failure and disillusionment. Of course nowadays you can't indiscriminately lop off the heads of your worn-out mates, but you get the point.

Anyway, the worst thing you can do while getting your butt handed to you is snifle and promise to change. It never works. Nobody respects a person who won't stand behind his or her own character flaws. If your honey says "I can't live with someone who washes Twinkies down with 3-year-old Scotch," don't trash your lifestyle and promise to reform, just arch your eyebrows and say "We were out of Ding-Dongs and Bourbon." Then, walk gracefully into the sunset, defeated but proud.

Here are some buzz words that should tip you off to imminent cancellation of your snugglebunny rights:

- 1) "I need space."
- 2) "We don't talk anymore."
- 3) "Something's missing."
- 4) "You left the cap off the toothpaste."
- 5) "Why do you always blink like

that."

- 6) "You've told that joke before. It's still not funny."
- 7) "Drop dead, you scurvy ro-dent."

When you hear these or similar lines, abandon all hope of reconciliation and start getting into position for the ugliness that will surely follow. Jockey for position, spar, keep your opponent on his toes. This is war now, so abandon all that touchy-feely junk you heard on "Donahue" the other day.

Trust me, I know — I've seen it all, so pay close attention. Clip the following list of things to say for the inevitable time when your mate comes at you with that familiar pained expression (first make sure it's not gas):

- 1) "I've been dumped by better men/women than you."
- 2) "Is this going to take long? I've got a date."
- 3) "You're shoe's untied. Nyuk, nyuk, nyuk."
- 4) "Did I ever tell you about the time my parents forgot my birthday, so I ran away from home and slept all night in a sewer? (If they're going to can you at least lay a heavy guilt trip on them.)"
- 5) "You're loss, baby."
- 6) For the women: "A woman without a man is like a fish without a bicycle." For the men: "A man without a woman is like a man without a 900 pound gorilla pounding him over the head with a spiked club."

Take it from Dik — never let 'em see you sweat.

Dik Saalfeld is a lawyer who works in the U.S. House of Representatives. His column, Uncle Dik's Cabin, is in its fourth year of publication.

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prompting concern that it could increase infected people's chances of developing the disease, researchers reported Monday.

Microbiologists at the University of Minnesota Medical School exposed cells that are the primary target for the AIDS virus to doses of cocaine. The virus, HIV, was found to grow as much as three times faster in the cocaine-laced tests than in control studies.

If what happened in the test tube happens in HIV-infected cocaine users, it could increase their risk of developing AIDS, said Dr. Ronald Schut, the lead researcher.

While about 150,000 AIDS cases have been reported in the United States, researchers say a million or more other Americans are infected and at risk of developing AIDS.

Test-tube tests, however, don't always mimic what happens in the human body. The question now for researchers is whether drug use somehow modifies the immune system to enhance HIV growth in humans.

"The initial in-vitro (test-tube) studies suggest that it's possible," Schut said.

Schut presented the findings at the Interscience Conference on Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy, sponsored by the American Society for

Microbiology.

Studies are under way using immune cells from drug users in a methadone program, where cocaine use is high, "to see if the virus grows easier," Schut said.

Dr. James Curran, director of the Division of HIV-AIDS at the U.S. Centers for Disease Control, said little if any solid information is available concerning the AIDS risk of cocaine users. He added that drug users are notoriously difficult to study and many cocaine users are involved in injectable drug abuse, which can spread HIV by dirty needles.

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Franklin jury selection begins

REDWOOD CITY, Calif. (AP) — Jury selection began Monday in the trial of George Franklin Sr., whose daughter has accused him of molesting and murdering a young playmate 21 years ago.

Franklin faces a possible life sentence if convicted of the crimes, which resurfaced last November when his daughter, Eileen Franklin-Lipsker, told investigators she witnessed them.

Franklin-Lipsker says her father killed 8-year-old Susan Nason of Foster City after he

sexually attacked her Sept. 22, 1969. She repressed her memory of witnessing the crimes for 20 years because her father threatened to kill her if she told anyone, she testified during a preliminary hearing.

Franklin, 51, a retired firefighter, was arrested last November at his apartment near Sacramento. He has pleaded innocent and is being held on \$2 million bail in San Mateo County jail.

According to Franklin-Lipsker,

she was with her father and Nason on the afternoon her best friend died. The three drove to a remote spot off Highway 92, where Franklin allegedly sexually assaulted Nason on a mattress in the back of the van, Franklin-Lipsker said.

Nason was crying as the two left the van, according to the account, and soon Franklin-Lipsker saw her father walking toward Nason with a large rock in his hands. Franklin-Lipsker testified

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IDENT-A-KIT

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trained to use Ident-a-Kit. When he has time, Investigator Raymond Berrett also will be trained.

In the past, Cal Poly has had to rely on the San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Department for Ident-a-Kit sketches. Berrett said the Sheriff's Department always has been very helpful, but that it is often busy with other

work, and it's uncomfortable to interfere all the time. Kennedy said, "It's like borrowing a hammer or ladder from a neighbor; you don't want to do it too many times."

Within the last year, Cal Poly could have used Ident-a-Kit four or five times Berrett said. When they did use Ident-a-Kit, a person from the Sheriff's Department had to be called over.

In a case last year where Public Safety was trying to identify a rapist, Ident-a-Kit provided a sketch "so right on, it was scary," Berrett said. A young male suspect had been identified and taken into custody. The Ident-a-Kit was so accurate that the accused's father, who assured police that his son was innocent, looked at the sketch and said, "I have nothing else to say."



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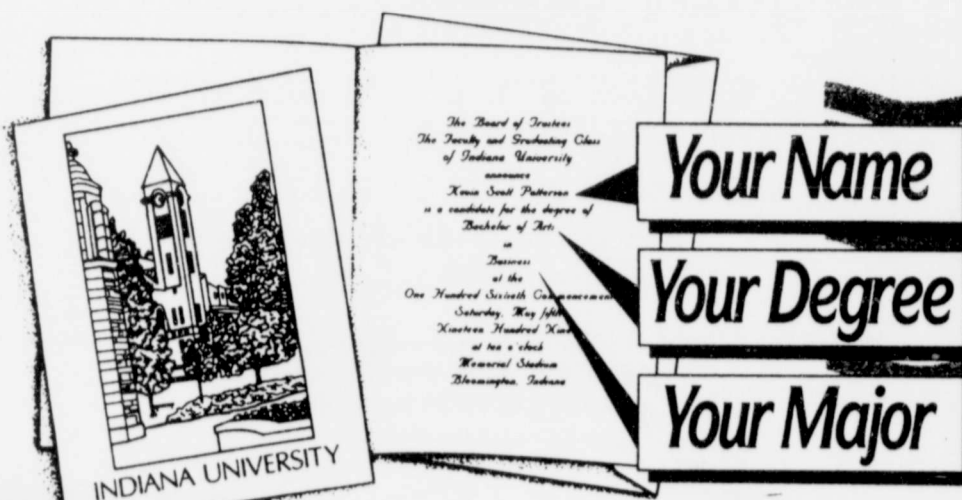
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that she remembered her father warning her never to tell anyone what she'd seen "or he'd have to kill me."

Nason's decomposing remains were discovered three months later under a mattress in a ravine. A blood-stained rock was found near the body, according to authorities.

A pathologist testified that two apparent blows to the head had caused the girl's death.

Franklin-Lipsker was never questioned about the murder of

her closest playmate because she was only 8 years old at the time.

During the preliminary hearing last May, she said vivid flashbacks suddenly began one day in early 1989 as she looked at her own daughter in their Canoga Park home in Los Angeles County.

Although a judge threw out a gag order in the case last December, Franklin-Lipsker, who is married and has two children, will not discuss its details.

"I'm putting all my faith in the justice system to get this resolv-

ed," she said at the time.

"I don't think I'll ever lead a normal life again. I'm not just a witness to a crime, I'm a witness to a crime that my father committed — the same man who is the father of all my brothers and sisters and is the grandfather of my children."

In 1969, Franklin, his wife, their four daughters and a son lived down the street from the Nasons.

Judge Thomas McGinn Smith said he expects jury selection to take up to two weeks.

STUDIES

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Wells said many schools are willing to bear the financial burden for underrepresented groups to attend their schools.

"If I want you to come to my institution, I have to offer money," Wells said. "I know very few people that have even had to borrow money for grad school in engineering and science."

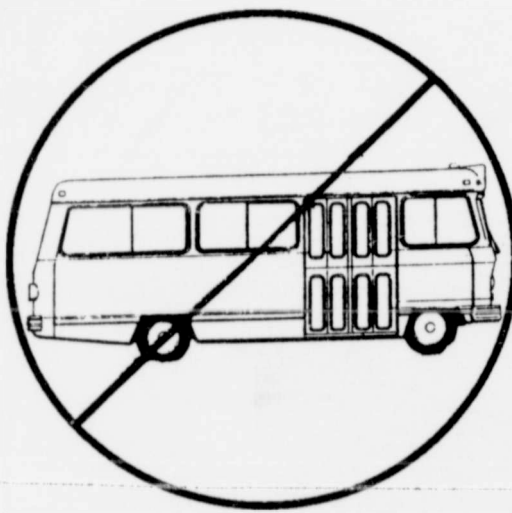
"It's a real turn-off if you have

to pay for more school.

"It's hard for students when they have industry saying, 'Come and work for us with a bachelor's degree,'" Wells said. "You have to look beyond the immediate benefit of a good job. If at all possible, go to grad school."

Lou Rosales, a TRW recruiter attending the seminar, reinforced the willingness of companies to help out graduate students.

"It becomes difficult when you're trying to work on your degree and put yourself through school," Rosales said. TRW's fellowship program allows students to work in the professional environment during the summer and return to school in the fall. The advantages of this type of program, said Rosales, are "you gain better insight to what you're doing and better insight into your career."



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MECHA holds Cuesta exhibit

The second annual "Days of the Dead" will be presented by the Cuesta College MECHA Club. "Days of the Dead" is an exhibition reflecting a tradition of Mexico that is historically comparable to our Halloween. The exhibit will be in the lobby of the Library Building at Cuesta College on Oct. 29 through Nov. 2. A slide show and Mexican refreshments will be included on the evenings of Oct. 31 and Nov. 1 at 7 p.m.

'War on Drugs' to be discussed

On Friday night, Oct. 26, Father Bill Davis will speak on "The

Truth Behind the War on Drugs" at 7:30 at Chumash Auditorium. Donations of \$5 are being accepted.

Halloween fun in Games Area

A Halloween party will be held in the University Union Games Area on Wednesday, Oct. 31. The party starts at 7 p.m. There will be unlimited bowling, billiards and table tennis for those who attend, plus other mysterious activities, snacks and treats. Cost is \$5 at the door and \$7 for the costumeless.

Alcoholism talk set for Oct. 25

On Thursday, Oct. 25, Peer Health Educators will present a discussion on the book "Adult Children of Alcoholics" by Janet Geringer. The discussion will be held at 11 a.m. on the first floor of the library.

U.U. Craft Center seeks Picassos

The Craft Center is looking for artists of all trades to sell their handmade goods at the Winter Craft Sales. The sale will take place Thursday, November 29, and Friday, November 30 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the University Union Plaza. Applications are due by November 2, and are available in the U.U. Craft Center.

Kennedy Library hosts book sale

The Cal Poly Library Associates' first sale of the academic year will take place on Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 24 and 25. It will take place in room 509 of Kennedy Library from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Prices range from 10 cents for magazines to 50 cents for hardcover and trade paperbacks.

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Escape Route hosts meetings

The Escape Route is hosting the weekly meetings of the Cal Poly Outdoor Activity Club. Meetings will be held Tuesdays at 7 p.m. in U.U. 220. For more information call 549-8850.

Laguna Lake trip set for Saturday

The Laguna Lake Improve-

ment Association is inviting anyone interested in the enhancement and preservation of Laguna Lake to attend a field trip to Laguna Lake on Saturday, Oct. 27. Meet at the Laguna Junior High parking lot at 2 p.m. For more information call Brett Cross at 544-7379.

Four-mile Fun Run on Oct. 28

The Oktoberfest four-mile Fun Run is happening Sunday, Oct. 28 in front of the Salty Pelican in Los Osos/Baywood Park. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. The race costs \$5, and t-shirts are \$13. Medals will be awarded to the first three places in each division. A drawing for gifts donated by local merchants will follow the 11 a.m. awards ceremony. All proceeds go to the

Morro Bay Cross Country Team. For more information call 528-0775.

Learning about seasonal stress

The San Luis Medical Clinic is offering two classes designed to deal with special problems encountered during the holiday season. "Stress During the Holidays" will be offered on Wednesday, November 14 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the San Luis Medical Clinic Conference Room at 1235 Osos Street. To pre-register call 546-5737 or 546-5841.

Cuesta to offer massage classes

Cuesta College will be offering

a class in "Massage and Meditation." The class will held Saturday, Nov. 3 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in old campus building Room 1514. Body-work techniques and positive visualization. Open to couples, professionals and beginning students. Please bring sack lunch, mat, towel and appropriate clothes. Class fee is \$18.50. Call 546-3108 for more information.

Learning forum offered Oct. 27

"Strategies for Success" is the theme for the second annual Central Coast Learning Disabilities Conference. The event is being held Saturday, Oct. 27 from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Cuesta Community College. Twenty-one workshops will be held on topics ranging from learn-

ing styles to self-esteem to brain memory. The fee for a full day of events is \$20. Participation is limited to the first 200 registrants. For more information, please call 546-3108

Series held on codependence

The Institute for the Study of Family Codependence is presenting a series entitled "Developing Masculinity." The presentations will focus on the various personalities of men. On Friday, Nov. 9, the subject of "Male Initiation" will be discussed. The presentations are scheduled to be held at 202 Traffic Way in Arroyo Grande. For more detailed information or to reserve a seat, please call 489-1005.

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FESTIVAL

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beaches.

For the first time in more than a decade, the clams returned to Pismo Beach this year.

"The clams disappeared in the late 70s, and we thought we had

lost them for good," said Pismo Chamber of Commerce Coordinator Lucy Lepley. "But this year they have come back."

Lepley said that because of this, the main focus of the festival this year was to educate people on clams in an effort to pre-

vent another disappearance.

"One thing we did do this year is focus on the fact that the clams are back and asked everyone to please be kind to them," she said. "Please don't 'over clam.' If you want to go get your limit, fine do that but don't

overdo it."

To educate people on the clams and the clamming process, the Department of Parks and Recreation had a booth at the festival, and spokesperson Nancy Dreher said it was a "tremendous" success.

"We've had hundreds of people approaching us," Dreher said. "Most people want to know what the legal size of a clam is (so that the public can legally catch them) or where they can find them. Things like that. But lots of people didn't even know that you could go clamming."

Dreher said that the clams did not really just disappear and suddenly reappear, but rather that the ecological cycle has become more balanced.

"There have been thousands of clams out there, but they were not the legal size," she said. "Just recently they have begun finding the legal-sized ones again. So when they say the clam is coming back, they mean that the clams have now reached correct size."

Dreher said it is difficult to figure out exactly why the clams disappeared in the first place but explained that it was most likely a combination of events.

"Everyone has their own opi-

nion of why they disappeared, but who knows really. There were an awful lot of people taking an awful lot of clams, and the otters came back at that time, so it may have had more to do with timing," she said. "The clam population could have been really borderline at that point, and the otters just sealed their fate."

Just in case, Dreher said, the event organizers and law enforcement officials are taking serious precautions to prevent "over clamming."

"The problem is that a lot of people have heard that some people are finding clams, and then they all come up to clam, but they don't rebury the small ones," she said. "So all of these hundreds of clams are being left up on the beach to die. Rangers and game wardens are down there (on the beach) writing citations to those who do it, but you just can't get everybody."

Lepley said that hopefully by educating enough people, the clams will stay indefinitely, and that the Clam Festival will continue to be as popular.

"Pismo Beach is considered the clam capitol of the world, so it is nice to have (the clams) back. Hopefully, we can keep them here."



PAT MCKEAN/Mustang Daily

A participant in the Pismo Beach Clam Festival attempts some body work on a sand car from the sand sculpture contest. The three-day festival also included a clam chowder cookoff and a volleyball tournament.

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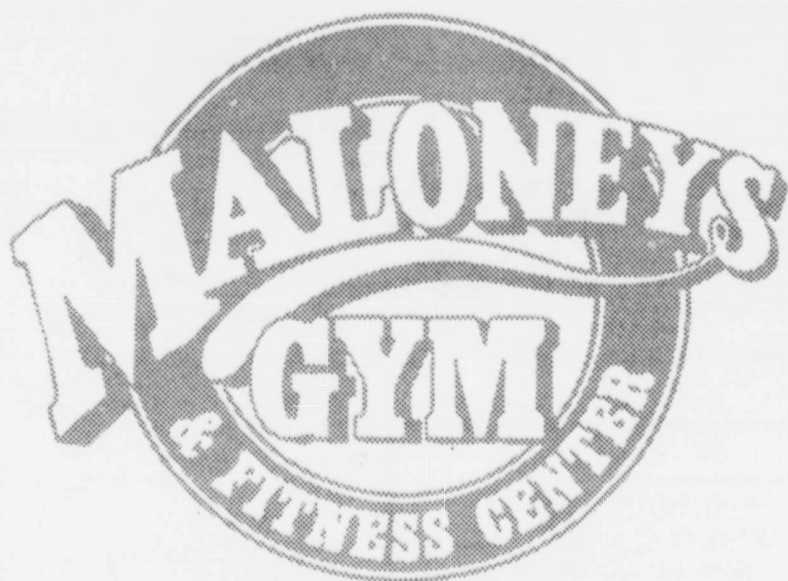
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President vetoes civil rights bill passed by majority in Congress

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush vetoed a major civil rights bill Monday and seemed assured of winning a battle in Congress to override him. "I deeply regret having to take this action," Bush said.

The president called on lawmakers to enact his version of the measure before they quit for the year, expected later this week.

The administration argued that the bill, as passed by Congress, would force businesses to adopt quotas in hiring and promotion. Supporters of the measure rejected the White House argument and portrayed Bush's stand as a measure of his commitment on human rights.

Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., the chief Senate sponsor, called the veto "tragic and disgraceful."

"When the chips are down, the White House is against civil rights," Kennedy said. He urged Congress to override the president.

The bill was approved by substantial margins in both the House and Senate, but both votes fell short of the two-thirds needed to override.

Rep. Augustus F. Hawkins, D-Calif., the prime House sponsor, said he would not even ask for an override vote without the two-thirds needed by supporters. "I'm just not going to waste any more time," Hawkins said, adding that civil rights forces might even lose support in an override fight.

In his veto message, Bush said, "The temptation to support a bill — any bill — simply because its title includes the words 'civil rights' is very strong."

"But when our efforts, however well-intentioned, result in quotas, equal opportunity is not advanced but thwarted," he said. "The very commitment to justice and equality that is offered as the reason why this bill should be signed requires me to veto it."

He said, "I deeply regret having to take this action with a bill bearing such a title, especially since it contains certain provisions that I strongly endorse."

The measure would nullify six Supreme Court decisions that have made it more difficult for women and minorities to prove and win job discrimination suits.

It would ban racial harassment in the workplace and allow punitive damages in the most serious discrimination cases.

It was passed by the Senate 62-34 and by the House 273-154, both strong majorities.

Bush said there were many similarities between the bill he vetoed and the version that the administration supports. Civil rights advocates denounced the late version of Bush's bill as a sham for permitting challenged hiring practices to stand if they could be justified on such grounds as "customer relations," justifications they said were used to support the separate-but-equal "Jim Crow" laws of the first half of the 20th century that kept blacks in segregation.

Summing up his key argument, Bush said, "Despite the use of the term 'civil rights' in the title ... the bill actually employs a maze of highly legalistic language to introduce the destructive force of quotas into our nation's employment system."

He said that under Congress' bill, "employers will be driven to adopt quotas in order to avoid liability."

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